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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
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My dear General Smith:

I have received your letter of May 4 regarding [redacted]  
I have no specific recollection of the conversation referred to in the  
unsigned memorandum accompanying your letter, I can confirm without  
qualification the position stated therein, namely that "the Department  
of the Interior would not think of moving the Central Intelligence Agency  
off the premises in the event the Interior Department subsequently assumed

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Sincerely yours,

(Sgd.) Oscar L. Chapman

Secretary of the Interior

General Walter B. Smith

Director of Central Intelligence

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